SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That this Act is hereby declared to be an emergency law and necessary for the immediately preservation of the public health and safety, and having been passed upon by a yea and nay vote, supported by three-fifths of all of the members elected to each of the two Houses of the General Assembly, the same shall take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved May 17, 1939.

## CHAPTER 85.

## (House Bill 165)

AN ACT to repeal and re-enact, with amendments, Section 811 of Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Prince George's County", sub-title "North Brentwood", to change the date of elections and of appointment of the Board of Election Supervisors for the town of North Brentwood.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of Maryland, That Section 811 of Article 17 of the Code of Public Local Laws of Maryland (1930 Edition), title "Prince George's County", sub-title "North Brentwood", be and the same is hereby repealed and re-enacted, with amendments, to read as follows:

811. Annually on or before the first day of April, the Mayor and Town Council shall appoint two judges, who shall appoint a clerk to conduct an election by ballot on the first Monday of May, if not a legal holiday, and if a legal holiday, then on the day following, for the election of officers provided for in Section 809 of this Article. The polls shall be opened between the hours of one and seven P. M., the two judges and clerk above provided for shall constitute the Board of Election Supervisors for said town, and shall determine the qualifications and right of each voter to participate in the town election by asking each applicant who presents himself to vote at the election which they have been appointed to conduct under oath these questions: First-Have you resided within the town of North Brentwood for a period of one year previous to this election? Second-Are you qualified to vote in the elections of the State of Maryland or any other State in the United States? And should the answers of the applicant be in the affirmative to both ques-